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**FORM PTO-1082**

TRANSMITTAL FOR NEW U.S. PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: New U.S. Patent Application  
For: **HYDRAULIC ASSIST METHOD AND SYSTEM**  
Inventor(s): Jacob LAVEE  
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Attorney Docket: 25550

Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above, including:

18 Pages Application Consisting of:  
    8 Pages of Textual Specification  
    6 Page of 40 Claims  
    1 Abstract of the Disclosure  
    3 Sheets of drawings.  
\_\_\_ Preliminary Amendment  
\_\_\_ Executed Inventor's Declaration  
XX Unexecuted Inventor's Declaration  
\_\_\_ Assignment and cover sheet  
\_\_\_ Priority Document  
\_\_\_ Information Disclosure Statement

The Government filing fee\* is calculated as follows:  
Total Claims . . . . . 40 - 20 = 20 x \$18.00 = \$360.00  
Independent Claims . . . . . 4 - 3 = 1 x \$84.00 = \$84.00  
Base Fee . . . . . \$750.00  
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee (\$280.00) . . . . . \$0.00  
Subtotal . . . . . \$1,194.00  
**TOTAL FILING FEE\***  
**(accounting for small entity status) . . . . . \$597.00**

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Applicant asserts eligibility for Small Entity Status.

\_\_\_ Foreign priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 from \_\_\_  
Patent Application(s) No. \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_ Priority document(s) will be submitted at a later date.

\_\_\_ Priority document(s) is/are submitted herewith.

XX Executed Declaration(s) will be submitted at a later date  
pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.41 and § 1.53, with an appropriate  
surcharge under 37 CFR § 1.16(e).

XX Formal drawing(s) is/are attached.

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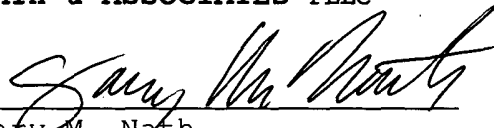
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In re Application of:

Jacob LAVEE et al.

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**


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Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter
- (2) PTO Form-1082
- (3) 18 page Application consisting of:
  - 8 pages Textual Specification
  - 6 pages of 40 claims
  - 1 page containing the Abstract of the Disclosure
  - 3 sheets drawings;
- (4) Unexecuted Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- (5) Postcard for early notification of serial number.

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